



PATENT APPLICATION

In re application of

Docket No: A7145

Phillip MERRICK, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/274,979

Group Art Unit: 2151

Confirmation No.: 9188

Examiner: St. John Courtenay III

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XML Remote Procedure Call (XML-RPC) For:

Technology Center 2100

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of one month(s), extending the time for responding to the Office Action of September 26, 2002 to January 26, 2003.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge the \$110.00 fee and all other required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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